

Local rates to rise by 50 to 75 per cent

Director-General of the Interior Ministry, Mr. Haim Kubersky, the Chairman of the Union of Local Authorities, Mr. Pinhas Eylon, the mayors of the large cities as well as a representative of development towns...

Immigrants' Sabbath sensibilities in Knesset

By ASHER WALLFISH, Jerusalem Post Knesset Reporter The orthodox parties yesterday turned a Gahal urgent motion for the agenda on the handling of the mounting wave of immigration into a vociferous and emotional demonstration of protest about observant immigrants being coerced into working on the Sabbath.

Industrial relations conference Parties said link between Government and labour

BY SEAYA SHAPRO Jerusalem Post Reporter TEL AVIV. — However institutionalized labour relations in Israel may be, actual contact between the Histadrut and the Government is informal, through party channels, Dr. Meir Avizohar told the International Conference on Trends in Industrial Relations at the Hilton Hotel here yesterday.

The perils of automation

TEL AVIV. — Though the physical load on workers has been cut by automation to an estimated 11 per cent of a man's endurance, the stress on nerves and senses has increased considerably in the "push-button" age, Prof. Herbert Scholz, of the Social Academy of Dortmund, Germany, stated in his address to the International Conference on Trends in Industrial Relations yesterday.

Large group of Russians arrive

LOD AIRPORT. — A large group of Russian immigrants arrived here yesterday morning from Vienna. About half of the newcomers are from Georgia, the rest come from Vilna, Kovno, Odessa, Riga and Moscow.

General Zionists meet Sunday

World Confederation of General Zionists, the only Zionist congress faction based only out of Israel, is holding a pre-congress conference at the beginning of next week.

U.S. Jews elect Congress-men

In election to the Zionist Congress held in the U.S., the World Confederation of General Zionists won almost half the vote.

Jenin delegation to see Hussein

JENIN. — A delegation of notables from the Jenin area, headed by a Jordanian Senator, Mr. Mohammed Mahmoud Ershaid, left for Amman this week to plead with King Hussein to spare the life of a relative.

Knesset probe of Wered awaits Comptroller

Jerusalem Post Knesset Reporter Gahal made a vain bid in the Knesset yesterday to vote a debate on the financial losses of Water Resources Development Ltd. (Wered), but Development Minister Haim Gavril persuaded the House to wait till the State Comptroller had his say first.

Collective bargaining

Prof. Robert Dubin, of the University of California, said that labour militancy could be kept in check by greater labour commitment in collective bargaining.

Schooling offers

Workers fear and distrust unilateral company offers of educational opportunity, he said.

TEL AVIV STOCKS Market irregular

Jerusalem Post Financial Reporter TEL AVIV. — Although the Market continued irregular yesterday, the turnover was quite high.

terrorist gets life for killing women 'collaborators'

Jerusalem Post Reporter TEL AVIV. — A terrorist was sentenced to life imprisonment yesterday for his part in killing four women in a "collaboration" camp.

Postal workers commended for bomb detection

Five post office workers yesterday received letters of commendation from Communications Minister Shimon Peres for their "alertness and resourcefulness" in helping detect parcel bombs arriving from abroad.

Satisfactory statistics

Replying, Absorption Minister Natan Peled gave statistics to show the high proportion of immigrants satisfied with housing and jobs.

ARAB M.K. Bureaucracy holds up Arab village planning

Jerusalem Post Knesset Reporter Arab Knesset Member Diab Obeid (Cooperation and Brotherhood) charged in the House yesterday, that government officials responsible for town planning in Arab areas were deliberately withholding aid and hampering expansion of village housing.

Foreign Exchange

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"The Arab citizen no longer has the physical or moral strength to submit to these difficulties," Mr. Obeid warned. "There is no reason why officials should mock him and give him the run-around."

NEW YORK. — The stock market was narrowly lower after being ahead five points early in the session yesterday. Trading was active.

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